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MR. SPEAKER:

I move that Engrossed Senate Bill 431 be amended to read as follows:

- 1 Page 16, between lines 11 and 12, begin a new paragraph and insert:
- 2 "SECTION 26. IC 15-9-2-3, AS AMENDED BY P.L.1-2006,
- 3 SECTION 294, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 4 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 3. The department shall do the
- 5 following:
- 6 (1) Provide administrative and staff support for the following:
- 7 (A) The center for value added research.
- 8 (B) The state fair board for purposes of administering the
- 9 director of the department of agriculture's duties under
- 10 IC 15-1.5-4.
- 11 (C) The Indiana corn marketing council for purposes of
- 12 administering the duties of the director of the department of
- 13 agriculture under IC 15-4-10.
- 14 (D) The Indiana organic peer review panel.
- 15 (E) The Indiana dairy industry development board for
- 16 purposes of administering the duties of the director of the
- 17 department of agriculture under IC 15-6-4.
- 18 (F) The Indiana land resources council.
- 19 (G) The Indiana grain buyers and warehouse licensing agency.
- 20 (H) The Indiana grain indemnity corporation.
- 21 (I) The division of soil conservation established by
- 22 IC 15-9-4-1.
- 23 (2) Administer the election of state fair board members.
- 24 (3) Administer state programs and laws promoting agricultural

trade.

(4) Administer state livestock or agriculture marketing grant programs.

(5) Administer economic development efforts for agriculture.

(6) Promote and support the biomass grant program established by IC 15-9-5-3.

SECTION 27. IC 15-9-5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW CHAPTER TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]:

Chapter 5. Biomass Grant Program

Sec. 1. As used in this chapter, "office" means the office of energy and defense development.

Sec. 2. As used in this chapter, "person" means an individual, a partnership, a corporation, a limited liability company, an unincorporated association, a governmental entity, or any other legal entity.

Sec. 3. There is established the biomass grant program.

Sec. 4. The office shall award grants and administer the program from funds appropriated to the office under section 6 of this chapter.

Sec. 5. The department shall assist the office in carrying out the office's duties under this chapter.

Sec. 6. The amount necessary to implement this chapter is annually appropriated to the office.

Sec. 7. A person may apply on a form prescribed by the office for a grant under this chapter to defray a part of the cost of installing a biomass energy project that makes use of any of the following technologies:

(1) Anaerobic digestion.

(2) Gasification.

(3) Fast pyrolysis.

Sec. 8. A grant awarded under this chapter may not exceed the greater of:

(1) twenty-five percent (25%) of a person's biomass energy project costs; or

(2) two hundred fifty thousand dollars (\$250,000).

1 **Sec. 9. The total amount of grants awarded under this chapter**
2 **in a state fiscal year may not exceed two million dollars**
3 **(\$2,000,000).**

4 **Sec. 10. This chapter expires July 1, 2009."**

5 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.

(Reference is to ESB 431 as printed March 30, 2007.)

Representative Lehe